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SATURDAY, MAY 18, 1912.

Up to the State Health Board.

The East Orange City Council and the Montclair Town Council on Monday night adopted a resolution authorizing action being taken towards ascertaining the attitude of the State Board of Health in regard to the locating of the Montclair-East Orange Imhoff sewage disposal plant in this town and Belleville.

Councilman Frank B. Colton wanted to know at the East Orange meeting if it was true that Orange had passed the resolution, having been informed, he said, that there was some difference of opinion in the Common Council of that city when the matter came to a vote.

"Those who are willing blindly and without further thought to enter into the Passaic Valley trunk sewer scheme," replied Councilman Edward S. Pierson, "are naturally opposed to the adoption of this resolution. The Orange councilmen who dissipated last Monday night have been opposed to the separate disposal scheme from the start. The majority of the council however, are in favor of this action."

The phraseology of the resolution raised the question in the mind of Mr. Colton whether it did not, after all, in spite of Mr. Pierson's assurances to the contrary, commit the city to the joint disposal scheme by reason of the fact that the resolution contained the word "approve."

Mr. Pierson explained that the resolution was framed by lawyers who have made a special study of the sewer law, and that it in no way committed the council. In the event of the State Board of Health disapproving of the plans of the engineers, he said, the matter would be done with. In the event, on the other hand, that the State Board of Health approved, it would then still be the duty of the City Council to determine what it would do and when it would do it.

Mr. Colton at length consented to vote for the resolution with the distinct understanding that his vote would not commit the council to any further act. Mr. Pierson said he hoped he spoke for the whole council in saying that every member was in the same frame of mind as Mr. Colton. He said the form of the resolution was adopted as being the only one that would comply with the State law and make official beyond doubt the submission of the plan to the State body.

**Town Council.**

The members of the Town Council held a brief adjourned session Monday night in the town clerk's office. The principal subject discussed was the request of the finance committee of the Centennial Celebration Committee for an appropriation of \$2,000 for the celebration fund, made at the previous meeting of the council by Matthew McCroddan, Allison Dodd and Howard B. Davis. After considerable discussion, Mr. Harrison moved that \$2,000 be appropriated and Mr. Murray seconded the motion.

Mr. Hummel moved that \$1,500 be appropriated and Mr. Albion seconded it. Mr. Hummel's motion was adopted. Mr. Harrison alone voting no.

The argument in favor of cutting down the appropriation below the sum asked for was that the people were contributing liberally to the centennial fund, and that an appropriation by the town at large would force a double payment upon some and therefore should not be too large.

The act of Legislature authorizing the Town Council to make an appropriation for centennial celebration purposes, fixed the maximum of the appropriation at \$3,000.

Permission was granted to the celebration committee to string wires for lighting and to otherwise decorate the streets.

The fire committee was authorized to have the fire department apparatus put in shape for a credible appearance in the centennial parade, and also to have the name Montgomery Hose Company, No. 4, inscribed on the hose wagon formerly used by Phoenix Hose Company, No. 2.

Mr. Albion of the sidewalk committee withdrew several of the resolutions for concrete sidewalks that he introduced at the meeting of May 6.

**Missing from Home.**

The police have been asked to look for John Windt, 45 years old, employed as a fireman in the Diamond Mills Paper Company in this town, who left his home last week after drawing his week's wages and borrowing \$10 from his wife. He said nothing to his wife about going away.

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**To Study Cost of Living.**

The question of the cost of living in Montclair has recently been a much discussed subject. The establishment of a co-operative store has called attention to it. There have also been more or less sensational newspaper reports regarding the alleged "higher" cost of living there.

The board of directors of the Civic Association believe that a real service can be rendered by the residents, property owners and merchants of Montclair by a careful, impartial investigation of the subject from all angles.

If the published reports are not true, it is only just to the local merchants to establish that fact. On the other hand, some practical suggestions for keeping down living expenses may result from such an investigation.

At the April meeting of the board of directors of the Civic Association, the president was requested to appoint a committee to make a comparative study of conditions, prices, land values, rents, etc., in Montclair and other places.

At the meeting held last Tuesday evening, the president announced the appointment of the following committee to undertake this work: Charles A. Hanna, Edward Earl, Frank C. Overton.

Mr. Hanna, the chairman of the committee, was elected a director of the association at the April meeting. He was formerly National Bank examiner, and is now examiner of the New York Clearing House. He resides in Rockledge road.

**To Make Showmen Pay up.**

The Centennial Celebration Committee at a meeting held Monday night appointed Captain Theodore Jones of Brookdale a committee of one to ascertain the best concessions that could be obtained from the proprietors of shows who want to exhibit here during centennial week. Captain Jones has had some experience in dealing with showmen, and when he heard some of the propositions read at Monday night's meeting, he declared that much better terms could be made with reliable showmen. The captain cited some of his experience, with the result that the members of the committee were satisfied that he was the right man to undertake the work of dealing with the showmen.

The members of the celebration committee are not much in favor of raising funds through the medium of shows and fairs, but the fairs will be here during centennial week, and it is considered good policy to make them give some concessions for privileges.

**Mrs. Woolley's Death.**

The body of Mrs. Catherine Woolley of 162 Montgomery street was found in the Passaic river at the foot of the falls in Paterson Wednesday morning. Mrs. Woolley's death was the result of suicide. She had drunk carbolic acid.

The body was discovered in the river by a passer-by and the Paterson police notified.

Wrapped around the dead woman's wrist was a silver mesh bag, which contained twenty-six cents and a memorandum book. Her name and address had been written in the book. Word was telephoned to the police department here and Chief Collins sent Policeman Charles Durning to the Woolley house. Durning declares that when he informed Mrs. Woolley's father, George M. Rogers, of the finding of the body, Mr. Rogers expressed no surprise. He explained that Mrs. Woolley had not been herself for some time.

Mrs. Woolley left her home here Tuesday afternoon saying that she was going to Newark. She had been a resident here since the death of her husband several years ago.

Mrs. Woolley was a sister of George Davidson Rogers, promoter of the defunct "Rogers Pool," a financial scheme in which much money was lost. Rogers over her brother's financial trouble is believed to have been the cause of Mrs. Woolley's suicide.

**High School Alumni.**

The Alumni Association of the Bloomfield High School will hold an important meeting in the assembly room of the old High School on Monday evening, May 27, at 8 o'clock. It is desired to have all former members and graduates of the High School attend. Plans will be formulated for a social gathering in June and the presentation of a play in the fall.

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**Church Notes.**

Two chairs have been presented by the William Carey Bible Class of the First Baptist Church for the pastor's room in the new church now in course of construction.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church held a "Chinese party" Thursday afternoon in Primary Hall.

"Lands Still Waiting for the Gospel" was the subject of the closing meeting of the season of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Westminster Presbyterian Church Tuesday afternoon. The leader was Mrs. William T. Wilcox.

The annual parish meeting of Westminster Church was held Wednesday night.

The Epworth League of the Watessing Methodist Church was twenty-three years old Sunday, and special services were held in the church Sunday night, consisting of music and recitations by the members and an address by the pastor, Rev. Berryman H. McCoy.

Mrs. A. B. Luce of Hamilton road, entertained the Woman's Missionary Union of the Glen Ridge Congregational Church. It was the annual meeting of the society and the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. G. W. Meade; first vice-president, Mrs. T. W. Langstroth; second vice-president, Mrs. A. B. Luce; secretary, Mrs. H. S. Babbage and treasurer, Mrs. William V. Z. Wilson. Papers on current topics of India, Turkey and Japan were read, and Mrs. H. C. Conel sang several selections. This will be the last meeting of the society until fall.

The Men's League of the First Presbyterian Church will give a smoker on Thursday evening May 23, to which all men are invited.

"The Pacific Coast" will be the subject of a free stereoscopic lecture in the Sunday-school room of the First Presbyterian Church on Wednesday evening, May 22, and to which all are welcome.

Addressing the parents whose children received first communion in the Church of the Sacred Heart, Sunday morning, Rev. Joseph M. Nardiello, the rector, urged that they and others keep their little ones at home nights and away from moving picture shows.

"There is another evil in the town that should be wiped out," said the priest, "and that is the pool parlors. There are too many temptations for the young in these places, and the authorities should either obtain control by licensing them or drive them out of existence."

In the Watessing Methodist Episcopal Church to-morrow morning the pastor, Rev. B. H. McCoy, will preach on "The Salt of the Earth." At the evening service Henry Farmer's oratorio in B flat, will be rendered by a full chorus and orchestra. Ten minutes address by the pastor on "Why I Am a Christian."

**High School Athletics.**

Last Saturday morning the local High School defeated the Nutley High School team by the score of 6-3. The Bloomfield boys showed a remarkable improvement in their playing. The weakness at second-base appears to be done away with now, by the appearance of Lohr there. He plays a good heady game and is a great strength to the infield. Winter pitched for Bloomfield, and held the visitors at his mercy.

Tuesday the Newark Theological Seminary were defeated by the High School team, by the score of 11-1. The High School had the upper hand right from the first inning. Olinger pitched for the High School and allowed the visitors but one hit. Carpar pitched for the Seminary.

Next Tuesday afternoon, the Caldwell High School team will be the Bloomfield High School's opponents at Watessing Park. The Caldwell team recently defeated the Kingsley School nine and will probably give the local nine a hard time. Olinger or Winter will pitch for Bloomfield.

The Walking Club will take its first tramp Saturday, May 25. Their destination will be Nutley, where the baseball team will play a return game with Nutley High School. The club has a membership of about forty students.

The track team has been practicing all week, and the boys are beginning to show some progress. Z. H. Whitman, formerly of the Williamsport, Pa., High School track team, is showing some real class. He is counted as a sure point-winner for Bloomfield in the coming meets. Whitman runs in the Junior Division, as he is not yet 16.

**Glen Ridge Notes.**

Miss Esther Oakes of Hillside avenue spent the week-end at Pottstown, Pa.

Dr. Clarence Hall Wilson of Ridge-wood avenue has returned from Bell-grade Lakes, where he has been on a two weeks' fishing trip.

H. De G. Ring of Argyle place has gone to Saranac Lake.

Mrs. T. W. Langstroth, who has been spending a few days at Washington, has returned to her home in Winsor place.

W. S. Fairchild and family, who have been abroad for the past six months, are expected at their home in Ridgewood avenue this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Raymond Roberts of Douglas road left Wednesday for Vineyard Haven, where they have bought a summer home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Thomas, who have been in Florida for the winter, are now the guests of Mrs. Thomas's mother, Mrs. M. L. Earle of Ridge-wood avenue.

Miss Amy L. Comins of Boston is the guest of her sister, Mrs. G. C. Hunter of Clark street.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary Union was held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. B. Luce, Hamilton road.

Mrs. F. H. Schmidt of Ridgewood avenue, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Nathan B. Fitch of New Haven.

The department of French literature of the Woman's Club met at the home of Mrs. Louis Heinrichs, Douglas road, Tuesday afternoon. The subject of the meeting was "Music and Art in France in the Eighteenth Century."

Mr. and Mrs. Addison Henry Hazeltine of Marston place have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Marie Louise Hazeltine, to Alfred Augustus Bell of Morris-town, to be held at their home, May 25, at 8 o'clock.

Colonel and Mrs. H. S. Lamphere of Wildwood terrace will give a dance for their son, Edgar Lamphere, in the Glen Ridge Club, May 24.

Miss Dorothy Tyson of Lincoln street has gone to Seabright for the summer.

The department of art of the Woman's Club of Glen Ridge, took a trip to the Hispanic Museum, New York, Wednesday.

Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Miss Mariam Garcia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Garcia of New York, to George Bayard Smith of Glen Ridge, at Grace Church Chantry, New York, June 1, at 8 o'clock. A reception will follow at the Hotel St. Denis.

Mrs. R. C. Stevens entertained six tables of bridge at her home in Winsor place, in honor of the Misses Stevens of Chicago, who are her house guests, Monday afternoon. Among the prize winners are: Mrs. Charles Ames, Mrs. William F. Beggs, Mrs. Charles Yates, Mrs. F. E. Stanton and Miss Margaret Harris.

Rev. Edwin A. White of Park avenue has returned from a fishing trip at Bellgrade Lakes.

I. C. Kiggins and family of Appleton place, have gone to their summer home at Deal Beach.

Mrs. Moses Ellis of Boston is the guest of her mother, Mrs. H. C. Newell of Highland avenue.

Miss Lena Wilson, who spent the week at her home in Ridgewood avenue, has returned to Mt. Holyoke College.

Mrs. L. H. Brinkman and Miss Blanche Brinkman of Ridgewood avenue, have returned from a southern trip.

Mrs. Platt K. Dickinson and family, formerly of Montclair, are now occupying the house at 113 Hillside avenue, recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Sangster, who have moved to Maplewood.

Mrs. A. R. Whiting, who has been the guest for a number of weeks of her sister, Mrs. Clarence Freeman of Douglas road, will return to her home in Great Barrington to-morrow.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. S. Reeder, who have been in Arcadia, Fla., for a number of months, are now at Bonca Grand, on the Gulf, preparatory to leaving for home within the next few weeks.

**Social Tea.**

Mrs. Joseph Freeman Price gave a tea at her home in Ridgewood avenue Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Price was assisted in receiving by Mrs. Albert Diamant of Philadelphia, Mrs. John E. Beggs and Mrs. William F. Beggs of Glen Ridge. The rooms were decorated with boughs of dogwood and garlands of Southern smilax. Those acting as floaters were Mrs. E. N. Bristol, Mrs. Marins G. Belloni, Mrs. F. H. Schmidt, Mrs. George F. Brown, Jr., Mrs. W. B. Colson, Mrs. H. K. Eldridge and Mrs. J. A. Moseley. The decorations in the dining-room consisted of pansies and Southern smilax. Those who assisted Miss Margaret Price in the dining-room were Miss Elizabeth Hopwood and Miss Fan Munger, of New York, Miss Madeleine Hardman and Miss Constance Roberts of Newark, and Miss Lucy Bristol and Miss Elizabeth Jackson of Glen Ridge.

**T. I. A. Annual Meeting.**

The annual meeting of the Town Improvement Association will be held Friday afternoon, May 24, at 4 o'clock, on the lawn of Mrs. A. B. Van Liew, Willard avenue and Franklin street. There will be a delightful program of music and recitations following the business part of the meeting, and refreshments served at the close.

Every member is urged to show her interest in the organization and its work by coming and bringing her friends. An invitation is extended to all women in the town.

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**Farmers Summer School.**

For the first time in the history of New Jersey an agricultural and vocational summer school is to be opened at the State Agricultural College at New Brunswick, New Jersey, this summer. The funds for this purpose are to be chiefly provided for by the State Board of Agriculture.

The time set for opening is June 24, and the course will continue for six weeks. Tuition will be free to teachers of the State, but teachers from other States will pay a tuition of \$25.

**Moving Pictures.**

A moving picture entertainment will be given in Jarvie Memorial Hall Tuesday evening, May 21, under the auspices of the Men's Club.

The programme of pictures includes "The Battle," a most realistic and impressive reproduction; "The Declaration of Independence" and "The Rhine from Cologne to Bergen."

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**Olympic Park.**

Olympic Park, Newark, will be opened for the season on Saturday, May 25, when the automobile parade will finish there with an exhibition. The new opera company will be known as the Olympic Park Opera Company, its season starting on June 3. The company will include in its repertoire such well known successes as "The Beauty and the Beast," "A Knight for a Day," "Miss Bob White," "The Burgomaster," "The Girl of Spite" and other musical comedy. The management has decided to sell admission to the opera house at the park gates, thus doing away with the extra admission fee. It will also enlarge its restaurant and make a special feature of it.

The other features of the park will be retained, including trotting races and special announcements of new attractions will be made each week. Special feature for Decoration Day will be horse racing.

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